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10674 U.S. PTO Docket No. P48D1-US

Anticipated Classification of this Application:

Class: Subclass:

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claims priority to pending application Serial No. 09/032,473, filed on February 26, 1998

1. Enclosed is a

- new application. (a) ____
- Enclosed is a continuation-in-part application. (b) ____
- (c) <u>X</u> Enclosed is a copy of the prior application.
- Enclosed is a new Declaration and Power of Attorney. 2. (a) ____
 - Enclosed is a copy of the prior Declaration as originally filed. (b) <u>X</u>

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Claims as filed in the prior application, less any claims canceled by amendment below:

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4.	<u>X</u>	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, incextension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0285 (Order No. P48D1-US).								
5.		Our check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.								
6.	<u>X</u>	Cancel in this application original claims $1-39$ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At lea one independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)								
7 .	Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:									
		This is a	_ continuation	X divisional	_ continuation-in-part					
	(a) Priority of application Serial No filed on in is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.									
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A new power has been executed and is enclosed.

(d) X Address all future communications to:

Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.

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- 12. ____ A preliminary amendment enclosed. (Claims added by this amend that have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)
- 13. X I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true duplicate of prior application Serial No. <u>09/032,473</u> as originally filed on <u>February 26, 1998</u>.

Date: March 30, 2000

Signature:

David Larwood Reg. No. 33,191

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